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For:	DEVICE FOR AMPLIFYING AND DETECTING A TARGET NUCLEIC ACID) (as amended herein))	
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AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

In response to the communication mailed from the Patent and Trademark Office on November 14, 2005, please consider the following.

Amendments to the Title begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.